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# TOWN REPORT,

Hill, N. H.



1898



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ANNUAL REPORTS

—OF THE—

SELECTMEN, TREASURER, CLERK,

ROAD AGENTS, LIBRARIAN,

—AND—

SCHOOL BOARD,

—OF THE—

TOWN OF HILL,

—FOR THE—

YEAR ENDING FEBRUARY 15, 1898.

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HILL, N. H.:  
PRINTED BY R. E. LANE.  
1898.

# TOWN OFFICERS.

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## SELECTMEN,

Frank E. Foss, \*      James E. Newton,  
Alfred A. Bartlett.

## TOWN CLERK,

Fred Wolfendale.

## TREASURER,

Ellon S. Little.

## COLLECTOR OF TAXES,

William C. Kelley.

## ROAD AGENT,

Frank G. Ferrin.

## AUDITOR,

Asa D. Prescott.

## SUPERVISORS OF CHECK-LIST,

Moses F. Little,      Robert M. Briggs,  
Charles W. Cilley.

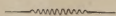
## SCHOOL BOARD,

Geo. H. Cilley,      Horace J. Campbell,  
Mary L. Wheet.

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\* Resigned.

# REPORT OF SELECTMEN AND TREASURER.



Valuation of the town as by invoice of the Selectmen  
April 1, 1897.

169 polls,	\$16,900 00
Land and buildings,	133,906 00
211 horses,	8,599 00
14 oxen,	582 00
250 cows,	5,098 00
88 other neat stock,	1,346 00
231 sheep,	426 00
2 hogs,	24 00
10 shares bank stock,	1,000 00
Money on hand or at interest,	7,719 00
Stock in trade,	10,950 00
Mills, machinery and aqueducts,	6,000 00
Buildings not designated,	100 00
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	\$192,650 00

SPECIAL INVOICE. (Pub. Stat. ch. 59, sect. 9.)      \$150 00

## ASSESSMENTS IN 1897.

State, county, town, schools, roads and bridges, and library,	\$2,892 00
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Rate by vote of town,  $1\frac{1}{2}\%$ .

Amount committed to Wm. C. Kelley, collector, \$2,892 00

*The Selectmen and Treasurer of the town of Hill for 1897,  
charge themselves with the following items:*

### CASH RECEIVED AS FOLLOWS:

E. S. Little, treasurer 1896, cash,	\$60 02
“ “ “ Ryan note and interest to Feb. 15, 1898,	38 58
W. C. Kelley, collector '97, taxes committed,	2,892 00
State treasurer, bounty on hawks,	1 75
H. C. Bartlett, notes given,	300 00
Fred Wolfendale, dog licenses,	81 52
Nathan Mason, note given,	105 00
F. E. Foss, error in order given to Dr. J. N. Storey, in account of 1896-7,	18 00
C. Hilton, for oxen,	130 00
Geo. A. Sumner, note given,	300 00
Merrimack County, for paupers,	180 47
“ “ dependent soldiers,	197 56
Literary fund,	60 76
Savings Bank tax,	429 89
Railroad tax,	255 68
Frank E. Foss, public weigher,	30 80
“ “ interest paid,	10 95
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	\$5,092 98

*Accounted for by the following payments:*

### CURRENT EXPENSES.

R. E. Lane, printing town and school reports,	\$23 00
Mary L. Wheet, services as librarian,	25 00
E. S. Little, services as town treasurer,	30 00
F. E. Foss, services as public weigher,	15 40
E. S. Little, services as ballot inspector,	1 75
Fred Wolfendale, services as town and school clerk,	30 17
M. F. Little, services as supervisor of check-list,	3 00
R. M. Briggs, “ “	3 00



Geo. A. Sumner, use of watering trough,	\$3 00
Geo. W. Dearborn, " "	2 50
Geo. H. Cilley, services as member of school board,	15 00
H. J. Campbell, " "	7 00
Mary L. Wheet, " "	10 00
Alfred A. Bartlett, services as selectman,	22 50
James E. Newton, " and board,	60 00
F. E. Foss, " "	65 00
Wm. C. Kelley, services as tax collector, and furnishing tax bills,	40 00
Asa D. Prescott, auditing accounts,	1 50
R. L. Wilson, services as member of board of health,	10 20
A. M. Kelley, " "	17 00
Interest on note at bank,	39 33
C. H. Hilton, for oxen,	140 00
T. H. Daniels, use of watering trough,	1 25
O. L. Sabin, " "	1 50
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	\$567 10

## SUPPORT OF POOR.

Sumner & Foss, goods for N. Wood family,	\$20 84
Geo. H. Cilley, " "	6 78
A. V. Doud, medical services, "	15 50
Sumner & Foss, goods for N. Hilliard family,	33 70
J. N. Storey, medical services for Mrs. A. Bush,	24 00
" " " Byron Bush,	30 00
" " " Nathan Hilliard,	28 50
" " " James Kenney Jr.,	21 00
J. E. Newton, services at death of Mary Stone's child,	3 50
F. G. Ferrin, digging grave for Hilliard child,	3 00
C. A. Blake, grain for N. Hilliard,	5 40
Sumner & Foss, goods for Alvah Keaton family,	6 00

Abbie A. Cox, for Aaron Kidder,	\$12 00
Abigail Danforth, cash,	6 75
Hartwell Keaton, board of Mrs. Alvah Keaton and children,	5 00
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	\$221 97

## DEPENDENT SOLDIERS.

Sumner & Foss, goods for C. L. Braley family,	\$80 28
J. T. Morrison, " " "	41 00
John S. Allen, " " "	33 28
F. G. Ferrin, digging grave for Braley child,	3 00
J. E. Newton, services of self and team at funeral of Braley child,	3 00
J. N. Storey, medical services to C. L. Braley family,	28 00
W. N. Sikorsky, " " "	6 00
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	\$194 56

## ROADS AND BRIDGES.

F. G. Ferrin, road agent,	\$1,194 75
J. M. Currier, lighting lamps,	72 55
Sumner & Foss, oil, etc., for streets,	53 30
Forrest G. Lane, ½ expenses lighting Hill bridge,	12 50
V. S. Straw, blacksmithing,	4 00
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	\$1,337 10

## SCHOOLS.

Mary L. Wheet, Tr., for support of schools,	\$922 10
Sumner & Foss, supplies,	101 79
S. D. Morrill, for furnace,	79 42
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	\$1,103 31



## LIBRARY.

Mary L. Wheet, librarian, for books, etc.,	\$75 00
Mary L. Wheet, account library,	2 65
Sylvester Wheet, for labor,	1 50
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	\$79 15

## TAXES.

State tax,	\$440 00
County tax,	428 14
Memorial tax,	25 00
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	\$893 14

## INCIDENTALS.

John Emerton, damage to sheep by dogs,	\$9 00
F. C. Shaw, " "	16 00
J. E. Newton, keeping tramps 1896-97,	27 00
" " horse hire and cash paid out,	15 00
W. B. Cawley, lumber for hay scales,	13 61
Wilson Foster, land damage by water,	25 00
William C. Kelley, for posts,	6 00
J. E. Newton, repairing hay scales,	6 00
G. W. Twombly, work on hay scales,	1 35
F. G. Ferrin, " "	2 25
John H. Stevens, damage to wagon,	2 75
A. V. Doud, return of births and deaths,	1 75
J. N. Storey, " "	1 50
R. E. Lane, for printing,	1 90
Sumner & Foss, nails, spikes, etc.,	2 24
G. H. Sargent, repairing guide-boards,	2 25
Daniel Tyrrell, for ox cart,	12 00
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	\$145 60

## ABATEMENTS.

Wm. C. Kelley, collector, on tax book of 1897,     \$57 48

## RECAPITULATION.

Receipts, \$5,092 98

## PAID—

Current expenses,	\$567 10	
Support of poor,	221 97	
Dependent soldiers,	194 56	
Roads and bridges,	1,337 10	
Schools,	1,103 31	
Library,	79 15	
Taxes,	893 14	
Incidental expenses,	145 60	
Abatements,	57 48	
Cash on hand,	493 57	
	\$5,092 98	

# FINANCIAL CONDITION OF THE TOWN FEB. 15, 1898.

## LIABILITIES.

Franklin Bank, note and interest,	\$310 13	
V. S. Straw,	"	119 54
Nathan Mason,	"	108 95
H. C. Bartlett,	"	312 75
Geo. A. Sumner,	"	305 25
Dog license,	56 52	
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## ASSETS.

Hay scales,	\$150 00	
J. S. Ryan note and interest,	38 58	
Amount on hand,	454 99	
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Balance, liabilities over assets, \$569 57

## DOG LICENSES.

Cash received for dogs licensed,	\$81 52
Cash paid for damages by dogs,	25 00
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Cash balance,	\$56 52

PROPERTY of the town not included in "Assets:"

1 road machine and tools and 1 ox cart.

*Respectfully submitted,*

JAMES E. NEWTON,	} SELECTMEN OF HILL.
ALFRED A. BARTLETT,	
ELLON S. LITTLE, TREASURER.	

Having carefully examined the foregoing accounts,  
I find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ASA D. PRESCOTT, AUDITOR.



# ROAD AGENT'S REPORT.

## F. G. FERRIN'S ACCOUNT.

*For the current year.*

PAID—

G. H. Sargent, labor and breaking out,	\$16 70
G. M. Jenness, breaking out,	63
W. B. Messer,                   “	2 00
E. E. Cawley,                   “	12 50
John H. Quimby,               “	6 75
Orrin Berry, labor on road,	3 00
George Berry,                 “	7 50
Robert McLean,               “	3 00
George M. Tuck,               “	1 95
M. B. Patten, labor on bridge and breaking,	13 04
H. W. Woodward, labor on road,	3 75
E. T. Eastman, breaking out,	4 75
Ephraim Hilliard, labor on road,	5 13
W. I. Wilson,                   “	1 50
George P. Worden,             “	1 44
Fred Perry, labor and breaking out,	7 88
Carlos C. Wilson,             “	5 60
Albert Bush, breaking out,	3 60
H. C. Bartlett,                “	23 15
George W. Cilley, labor on road,	2 49
Dana B. Dickerson, breaking out,	15 77
E. H. King,                     “	18 64
A. T. Emerton, labor on road,	4 50
Town of Bristol, expense on bridges,	46 54
W. L. Hildreth, breaking out,	5 60
A. D. Prescott, boarding oxen,	12 50
George A. Sumner, boarding oxen,	27 00
W. H. Straw, labor and breaking,	29 50
Heman Cox, labor on road,	6 01
L. T. Dearborn, labor and breaking,	9 25
Q. S. Dustin, breaking out,	3 76
O. G. Colby,                   “	16 70

J. W. Bartlett, breaking out,	\$3 28
Geo. H. Cilley, "	15 45
J. H. Heath, "	2 06
Geo. M. Collins, "	4 00
C. P. Pillsbury, "	7 40
Myron Hersey, "	5 98
Fred A. Adams, "	3 35
C. W. Buttrick, labor and lumber,	2 38
Perley E. Bucklin, lumber,	4 49
L. L. Mason, labor, lumber, boarding oxen, and breaking out,	22 43
C. A. Blake, labor, hay and grain,	36 05
Carlton Dufur, labor,	5 00
George W. Dearborn, labor and breaking out,	30 50
D. H. Trumbull, "	2 00
H. P. Blake, "	10 35
A. A. Bartlett, "	10 79
Daniel Wiser, "	76 00
H. W. Morrill, "	5 05
O. J. Calley, labor and snowing bridge,	1 47
A. P. Wadleigh, labor,	39 37
J. E. Newton, labor and boarding oxen,	13 14
E. E. Stevens, labor,	34 13
Frank Stevens, labor and lumber,	64 38
W. B. Cawley, lumber,	19 29
V. S. Straw, blacksmith work,	7 35
A. M. Ackerman, clearing sidewalk,	85
G. W. Twombly, repairing road machine,	75
W. F. Cilley, labor and breaking out,	33 77
J. W. Favor, breaking out,	75
A. A. Addison, labor and breaking out,	7 75
F. V. Dickinson, "	4 31
H. M. Dickerson, "	12 80
A. M. Kelley, labor and lumber,	22 54
Frank Swain, breaking out,	2 10
Daniel Quimby, "	2 10

John Hilliard,	"	\$4 34
H. P. Southworth,	"	46
Willie Blake,	"	38
John Straw, labor on highway,		2 75
N. A. Hodge,	"	63 00
L. T. Chancey,	"	6 00
F. G. Ferrin, labor on highway, and team,		133 13
F. R. Woodward, use of derrick and pipe,		16 80
Elmer Carlton, labor, lumber, boarding oxen, and breaking out,		22 23
A. A. Woodward, labor on highway,		1 00
F. E. Foss, hay, and material for road,		12 78
Nathan Hodge, labor and breaking out,		4 05
G. W. Keniston,	"	9 63
A. F. Roberts,	"	21 00
L. E. Blake, cutting drifts,		38
J. A. Dufur, clearing sidewalk,		1 28
G. S. Wade, breaking out,		16 26
James Kenney,	"	4 19
William Kenney,	"	3 94
Thomas Kenney,	"	1 19
George Hill,	"	1 00
William Joyce, crossing field in winter,		3 00
R. L. Wilson, snowing bridge,		50
Ann M. Call, pasturing oxen,		6 00
H. J. Campbell, labor and breaking,		1 23
C. W. Morrill, breaking out,		25
Jacob Hall,	"	16 74
T. H. Daniels, labor on road,		6 50
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		\$1,194 75
RECEIVED OF E. S. Little, treasurer,		\$1,194 75
	F. G. FERRIN, ROAD AGENT.	

Having carefully examined the foregoing road agent's account, I find it correctly cast and properly vouched.

ASA D. PRESCOTT, AUDITOR.



# VITAL STATISTICS.

TO THE BOARD OF SELECTMEN OF THE TOWN OF HILL: In compliance with an act of the Legislature passed June Session, 1887, requiring "clerks of towns and cities to furnish a transcript of the record of births, marriages and deaths, to the municipal officers for publication in the annual report." I hereby submit the following:

## BIRTHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HILL, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1897.

Date of Birth	Name of Child	Male or Female	Living or Stillborn	No. Child 1st, 2d, etc.	Color	Name of Father	Maiden Name of Mother	Color	Residence of Parents	Occupation of Father	Birthplace of Father	Birthplace of Mother	Age of Father	Age of Mother
Feb. 28	Daisy W.	F	1	3	White	Jean M. Shaw	Eva G. Adams	All white	All in Hill	Mechanic	Ft. Edward, N. Y.	Lewiston, Me.	27	22
Apr. 6	Edna May	F	1	1	White	William H. Fowler	Nellie F. Drey			Laborer	Danbury	Suncook	35	18
May 16	Gladys Nora	F	1	1	White	Nathan S. Dodge	Nora B. Wiggins			"	Salisbury	Sanborn	26	32
" 24	Cecil George	M	1	1	White	George M. Collins	Addie E. Noyes			Farmer	Norwich, Vt.	Lowell, Mass.	50	30
June 1	Joseph Albert	M	1	1	White	Joseph Nadeau	Louisa S. Flura			Laborer	"	Danbury	33	18
" 17	Olive Grace	F	1	3	White	Charles W. Cilley	Nellie S. Allen			Farmer	Hill	Yarmouth, N. S.	32	32
Oct. 15	Al	M	1	3	White	John H. Quimby	Lillian E. Powers			"	"	Athens, Vt.	32	29
" 26	"	M	1	2	White	George M. Jenness	Jennie Emmons			"	Manchester	Alexandria	22	21
Nov. 10	"	F	1	2	White	George P. Worden	Lena V. Briggs			Mechanic	St. Johns, N. B.	Hill	24	18
Dec. 30	"	F	1	1	White	Eddie G. Colby	Elsie E. Brock			Railroad man	Hill	Bristol	24	22

# MARRIAGES REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HILL, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1897.

Date of Marriage	Place of Marriage	Name and Surname of Groom and Bride	Residence of each at time of Marriage	Age, years	Color	Occupation	Place of Birth of each	Names of Parents	Birthplace of Parents	Occupation of Parents	No. of Marriages	Name, Residence and Official Station of person by whom married
Feb. 4	Danbury	Nathan Hilliard		48		Farmer	Hill	John Hilliard Jane C. Cole	Chichester, Mass. Hill	Farmer Housekeeper	1	Edwin P. Eastman, Clergyman, Danbury
		Mary J. Stone		28		Housekeeper	Concord				1	
Mar. 10	Hill	Reuben P. Smith		30		Mechanic	Lakeport	Henry Smith Lydia A. Randall	Sandwich Center Harbor	Farmer Housekeeper	2	H. B. Fry, Clergyman, Hill
		Flora M. Pitman		19		Housekeeper	Alexandria	Warren L. Pitman Julia E. Tappin	Alexandria Sandwich	Farmer Housekeeper	1	
" 17	Sanbornton	Lionel T. Chancey		35		Shoemaker	St. Johns, N. F.	John W. Chancey Susan Stoneman	St. Johns, N. F.	Carpenter	1	E. H. Wright, Clergyman, Sanbornton
		Martha P. Braley		14		At home	Ellsworth	Cornelius L. Braley Philora Vadney	Hill "	Farmer Housekeeper	1	
" 18	Hill	Cornelius L. Braley		54		Farmer	Canterbury	George W. Braley Phoebe Glines	" Canada		2	M. F. Little, Justice of the Peace, Hill
		Philora Vadney		52		Housekeeper	Farnum, P. Q.	Edward Vadney Mary Greenwood	" Haverhill		1	J. H. Bliss, Clergyman, Franklin
June 9	Franklin	Leon E. Blake		25		Teamster	Haverhill	Henry P. Blake Melville M. Greene	Bath Hill	Farmer Housekeeper R. R. man	1	
		Mary E. Mead		19		At home	Hill	John H. Mead Emma A. Rand	Northfield	Housekeeper	1	

DEATHS REGISTERED IN THE TOWN OF HILL, N. H., FOR THE YEAR ENDING DEC. 31, 1897.

Date of Death	Name and Surname of the Deceased	Age			Place of Birth	Sex	Color	M <sup>r</sup> , W <sup>idow</sup> , S <sup>ingle</sup> , M <sup>ar</sup>	Occupation	Place of Birth		Name of Father	Maiden name of Mother	Disease or Cause of Death
		Years	Months	Days						Father	Mother			
Jan. 13	John E. Braley	17	5	15	Ellsworth	M		S	Laborer	Canterbury, Newburyport, Mass.	Farnum, P. Q. Hill	Cornelius L. Braley	Philora Vadney	Congestion of Liver
Feb. 25	Hannah T. Carrier	74	11	11	Hill	F		M	Housewife	Hill	Concord	Eben Eastman	Betsy Sargent	Pneumonia
Mar. 23	Jennie C. Hilliard	1	7	1	"	F		S				Nathan Hilliard	Mary J. Stone	Diphtheria
Apr. 21	Phebe L. Howe	64	3	14	Salisbury	F		W	Housekeeper	Newburyport, Mass.	Salisbury	Daniel S. Woodward	Dorris Adams	Intestinal Hemor'ge
" 29	Sarah E. Wade	78	5	25	St. George, Me.	F		W	"			John Chaples	Kate Wolfgrover	Apoplexy
May 10	Hannah C. Hersey	58	1	22	Hill	F		S	"	Gilmanton	Barnstead	Gilman Hersey	Hannah Hersey	Heart Failure
June 13	Susan E. Cilley	66	6	3	Gilford	F		M	Farmer			Benjamin Stevens	Betsy Ayer	" and Lung Disease
July 28	Richard T. Calley	61	2		Sanbornton	M		M	"	Hill	Dunbarton	Thomas Calley	Comfort Durgin	Heart Disease
" 30	Adeline W. LeBarron	72	4	3	Franklin	F		W	Housekeeper	Danville, Vt.	Dunbarton	Robert Morrill	Phebe Blaisdell	Carcinoma
Oct. 15	Melinda Marshall	80	3		Dunbarton	F		W	"	Hill	Montpelier Vt.	James McCalley	Betsy Bailey	Paralysis
" 23	Elsie W. Dorway	55	11	20	Danville, Vt.	F		M	"		Bristol	Samuel Leighton	Cynthia Heath	Congestion of Liver
Dec. 30	Infant Colby				Hill	F						Eddie G. Colby	Elsie E. Brock	Stillborn

I hereby certify that the foregoing returns are correct, according to the best of my knowledge and belief.

FRED WOLFENDALE, TOWN CLERK.



# LIBRARIAN'S REPORT.

## RECEIPTS.

Rec'd from Town Treasurer—	\$75 00
“ fines,	25
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	\$75 25

## DISBURSEMENTS.

1897. Paid—	
Feb. 18, Temple & Farrington Co.,	\$11 81
Mar. 24, “ “	62 19
Dec. 16, Henry Morrill,	1 25
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	\$75 25

Since the opening of the Library, two hundred ninety-one cards have been issued. Quite a number of new cards have been taken during the year, and among them we are pleased to note several by the small children. This is as it should be. A library is and should be made an important factor in the education of the young. There are very interesting and instructive books which may be read individually or taken into the schools by the teachers, and used in connection with their work. Yet careful thought will convince all that the appropriation is inadequate to the needs of the people. About two months of the year the supply does not meet the demand of the reading public. The addition of twenty-five dollars, or making the whole appropriation for *books* one hundred dollars, would give a very reasonable amount of reading for the entire year, and could not increase the burden of the tax-payer but a trifle. There are plenty of books that can be bought at very low rates, but the binding, type, and the subject matter itself, make them unsuitable for general circulation. All books, however, are bought at one third discount and some at forty per cent. There have been added for the year, ninety-six books at an average of seventy-seven cents each; some of them, of course, are much higher price than that, and some much less. It seems that no one enjoying the privileges of the Library, and in many instances having from two to four cards in the family, could hesitate or be unwilling to increase the fund to one hundred dollars for the coming year.

*Respectfully submitted,* M. L. WHEET, LIBRARIAN.

## REPORT OF THE BOARD OF EDUCATION.



The schools throughout the town have been in session 24 weeks.

The School Board have tried to use the money intrusted to them, for the best interest of all the scholars in the town. In several cases, where the scholars have lived much nearer the schools of other towns, it was thought advisable to send them there, which was done, we think, to the satisfaction of all concerned.

The teachers whom we have hired throughout the town for the past year have proved themselves very competent. The average progress has been made in the various studies; and we think, without exception, any pupil who has attended school for the sole purpose of learning has been able to make good progress. The School Board would still urge the parents that they support the teachers in sustaining good order in the school-room; and also see that their children attend school regularly and are there on time; and in this way we shall make it easier for the teachers, better for the scholars, and we shall have better schools.

The school on Dickerson Hill was taught the entire year by Miss Alice G. Shaw, of Northfield. The spring term at the Centre was taught by Miss Mary E. Taylor, of Bristol; the remaining part of the year by Miss Idella Farnum, of Danbury. At the Village the spring and fall terms were taught by Miss Mary A. Tuck; the winter term by Miss Jennie Dickerson. A furnace has been put in the Village school-house at a cost of \$79.42, which heats the house with perfect satisfaction.

## ROLL OF HONOR.

## VILLAGE SCHOOL.

Spring term:—Burton W. Briggs, Willis F. Eaton, Rodney A. Pearsons, Mabel E. Dow, Pearl D. Huse.

Fall term:—Burton W. Briggs, Rodney A. Pearsons, Chauncy W. Payne, Morton A. Wadleigh, Oscar E. Wadleigh, Pearl D. Huse, May E. Smith.

Winter term:—Sadie H. Dickerson, Pearl D. Huse, Cora Wilson, John J. Huse, Harry R. Wheet, Burton W. Briggs.

Entire year:—Burton W. Briggs, Pearl D. Huse.

## CENTRE SCHOOL.

Spring term:—Ella R. Bartlett, Lizzie B. Cox, Lennie L. Hall, Winnifred H. Hall, Lizzie O. Tibbetts, Frank A. Tibbetts, Sadie M. Trumbull, Georgie Trumbull.

Fall term:—Lennie L. Hall, Winnifred H. Hall, Sadie M. Trumbull.

Winter term:—Lizzie B. Cox, Lennie L. Hall, Sadie M. Trumbull, Georgie A. Trumbull.

Entire year:—Lennie L. Hall, Winnifred H. Hall, Sadie M. Trumbull.

## DICKERSON HILL SCHOOL.

Spring term:—Walter C. Dickerson, Ned A. Simonds, Boyd Bartlett, Sadie Simonds, Grace Bartlett.

Fall term:—Ned Simonds, Sadie Simonds, Herbert Heath, Cora Heath, Eva Heath, Lula Heath, Jennie Heath, Edna Cawley, Ella Cawley, Eva Keniston, Grace Bartlett, Boyd Bartlett, Frank Rice.

Winter term:—Grace Bartlett, Boyd Bartlett, Ned Simonds, Sadie Simonds, Eva Heath, Cora Heath, Herbert Heath, Walter C. Dickerson, Frank Rice.

Entire year:—Ned Simonds, Boyd Bartlett, Sadie Simonds, Grace Bartlett.

*Respectfully submitted,*

GEORGE H. CILLEY,	} SCHOOL BOARD OF HILL.
HORACE J. CAMPBELL,	
MARY L. WHEET,	



## TREASURER'S REPORT.—SCHOOL DISTRICT.

## RECEIPTS.

Balance in hands of G. W. Dimond, treasurer for 1896,	\$2 02
Rec'd of Town, for support of schools,	922 10
“ town of Sanbornton, tuition,	9 75
“ E. Calley, book,	15
“ J. Dickerson, book,	25
Total,	<hr/> \$934 27

## 1897. DISBURSEMENTS.

Mar. 30	R. E. Lane, printing,	\$1 23
Apr. 10	Heman Cox, cleaning school-houses,	2 50
June 29	Alice G. Shaw, teaching, Dickerson Hill,	50 00
	M. E. Taylor, teaching Centre school,	50 00
	E. H. Trumbull, boarding teacher,	20 00
	Geo. H. Cilley, “	17 50
	H. T. Heath, tuition in Union district,	40 00
July 2	M. L. Wheet, boarding teacher,	20 00
	Geo. M. Tuck, conveying pupils, summer of '97,	20 00
3	Mary A. Tuck, teaching Village school,	60 00
	E. E. Babb & Co., school supplies,	2 28
	Sumner & Foss, “	1 40
	C. L. Braley, conveying pupils,	12 50
Oct. 15	Franklin Pub. Co., charts, (outstanding)	45 00
25	Willie Blake, janitor,	15
	A. H. Quimby, kindling wood,	50
	Fred A. Adams, wood, (outstanding)	21 00
	E. E. Babb & Co., supplies,	1 38

Oct. 25	J. Neddon, sawing wood,	\$2 00
	A. A. Bartlett, wood for Dickerson	
	Hill school,	10 00
Nov. 12	Alice G. Shaw, teaching Dickerson	
	Hill school,	50 00
	Geo. H. Cilley, boarding teacher,	17 50
	Idella Farnum, teaching Centre school,	50 00
	E. H. Trumbull, boarding teacher,	20 00
	Asa Emerton, work on Centre school-house,	2 75
	John Emerton, " "	2 50
	Mrs. D. B. Dickerson, cleaning " "	1 25
	Geo. H. Cilley, express, car fare, work,	12 66
	E. H. Trumbull, work on Centre	
	school-house,	1 98
	Geo. M. Tuck, conveying pupils in	
	fall of '97,	20 00
	M. L. Wheet, boarding Village teacher,	20 00
	M. A. Tuck, teaching Village school,	62 50
24	C. L. Braley, conveyance of pupils,	14 10
Dec. 7	American Book Co., books,	7 56
	Elmer Brock, services as janitor,	1 00
	Town of Danbury, tuition,	5 00
	H. T. Heath, tuition in Union district,	50 00
24	Alice G. Shaw, teaching, winter term,	20 00
	Idella Farnum, " "	20 00
31	E. H. Trumbull, boarding teacher,	8 00
	Geo. H. Cilley, " "	7 00
	Walter Dickerson, services as janitor	
	for the year,	5 00
	Town of Alexandria, tuition,	21 00
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Jan. 24	Frank E. Foss, shingles and nails,	16 98
	O. D. Case & Co., erasers,	96
	Frank E. Foss, school supplies,	20 12
	Burton W. Briggs, janitor,	1 00
	E. E. Babb & Co., supplies,	3 40

Jan. 24	Jennie Dickerson, teaching Village school,	\$45 00
	M. L. Wheat, supplies and express,	1 20
	James Ryan, painting blackboards,	70
	Ginn & Co., writing books,	5 15
	Idella Farnum, care of Centre school,	2 00
	Russell Dearborn, preparing wood,	2 50
	Sylvester Wheat, wood,	7 00
	Cash on hand,	31 02
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M. L. WHEAT, TREASURER OF SCHOOL BOARD.

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Having carefully examined the foregoing accounts, I find them correctly cast and properly vouched.

ASA D. PRESCOTT, AUDITOR.

STATISTICAL TABLE.—TOWN SCHOOL DISTRICT.

Teachers	Schools	Weeks of school	Pupils	Average attendance	Reading	Spelling	Arithmetic	Writing	Language	Geography	Composition	History	Book-keeping	Physiology	Algebra	Amount paid teachers including board	Per cent of attendance	Number not absent	Visits of committee	Visits of citizens
Mary A. Tuck Jennie Dickerson	Village	25	42	31	42	42	42	42	20	25	0	12	7	31	7	207.50	.8912	215	53	
Idella Farnum		24	23	18	23	23	23	23	9	13	16	2	2	4	0	168.00	.8978	310	21	
Alice G. Shaw	Dickerson Hill	24	15	13	15	15	15	15	2	15	8	1	0	15	1	162.00	.9139	412	33	











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